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**PATENT**

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In re Application of:  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND AND  
RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED DECEMBER 10, 2004**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of time for a period of one (1) month to file this Response to the Office Action dated December 10, 2004. Upon approval of this Petition, this response is due on or before April 10, 2005. The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct the required fee from Deposit Account No. 19-0610. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested in light of the following amendment and remarks.